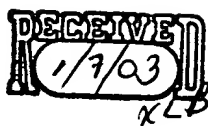


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Washington, D.C. 20231**AMENDMENT**

Dear Examiner Chang:

The Applicant's Attorney thanks Examiner Chang for her courtesy in the telephone conference on January 6, 2003. In response to the Office Action dated November 7, 2002, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Claim 37 has been amended and is discussed below in the Remarks. A complete set of the claims as amended is included herein for the convenience of the Examiner. A separate marked-up version is included herewith.